GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4329
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OPENING OF HANDICAPPED REHABILITATION CENTRES/ DDRC
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Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) Whether the Government monitors the functioning of Handicapped Rehabilitation Centres;

(b) If so, the details thereof;

(c) The number of persons provided assistance by each of these Centres during each of the last three years;

(d)Whether there is any proposal to set up more such Handicapped rehabilitation Centers or DDRCs in other States/UT; and

(e) If so, the details thereof alongwith locations identified for this purpose, State/UT-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE & EMPOWERMENT (SMT. SUBBULAKSHMI JAGADEESAN)

(a) & (b) Yes, sir. Each District Disability Rehabilitation Centre (DDRC) is monitored by a District Management Team (DMT) headed by the District Collector.

(c)The number of persons assisted by each of these DDRCs during the last 3 years is given at Annexure I.

(d) & (e) Recently sixteen more locations have been approved for setting up of new DDRCs. Details of which are given at Annexure-II.